GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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RAILWAY PROJECTS OF GUJARAT
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of Railway projects lying pending and awaiting completion in Gujarat;

(b) the project-wise amount of funds provided for the sard projects in the budget alongwith the amount of funds rleeased therefor during the last three years;

(c) the number of projects that are running behind the schedule alongwith the details thereof;

(d) the action taken by the Railways to ensure that said projects are completed expeditiously; and

(e) the success achieved by the Railways as a result thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU):

(a) and (b) Details of ongoing projects falling fully/partly in the State of Gujarat alongwith outlay provided during 2006-07 and expenditure incurred during the last three years are as under;-

(c) to (e) Projects are progressing as per availability of resources. However, a number of initiatives have been taken to augment resources for expediting completion of the ongoing rojects. These include sharing by State Governments, Public/Private Partnership, funding from Ministry of Defence, additional resources for National Projects and non-budgetary initiatives tor National Rail Vikas Yojana.